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PATENT APPLICATION

IN THE UNITED STATES PATENT AND TRADEMARK OFFICE

In re Application of:)
HIROAKI KOHNO ET AL.)
Application No.: (National Phase of PCT)
Application No. PCT/JP00/06100 filed)
September 7, 2000))
Filed: Currently herewith)
For: METHOD AND REAGENT FOR)
DETECTION OF)
TRICHOThECENE)
MYCOTOXINS)
Examiner: Not Yet Assigned)
Group Art Unit: Not Yet Assigned)
January 10, 2002

Commissioner for Patents
Washington, D.C. 20231

INFORMATION DISCLOSURE STATEMENT

Sir:

In compliance with the duty of disclosure under 37 C.F.R. § 1.56 and in accordance with the practice under 37 C.F.R. §§ 1.97 and 1.98, the Examiner's attention is directed to the documents listed on the enclosed Form PTO-1449. Copies of the listed documents are also enclosed.

The concise explanation of relevance for the non-English documents may be found in the specification as filed, *inter alia*, at page 3, lines 21 et seq.

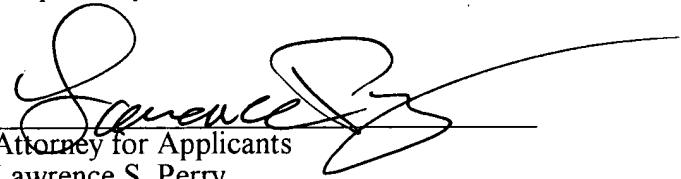
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CONCLUSION

It is respectfully requested that the above information be considered by the Examiner and that a copy of the enclosed Form PTO-1449 be returned indicating that such information has been considered.

Applicants' undersigned attorney may be reached in our New York office by telephone at (212) 218-2100. All correspondence should continue to be directed to our address given below.

Respectfully submitted,



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